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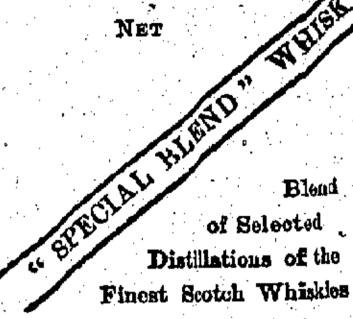
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Hongkong, 3rd December, 1902.

WHEN all matters seemed finally settled for the complete evacuation of Shanghaiby the unnecessary foreign garrison, which has been there since the troubles of 1900; when the Japanese contingent had already left, and the British had received orders to leave on the 20th instant; suddenly there came the news on Monday that the commanders of the French and German troops had formally declined to quit Shanghai until February next. So far we have received no information as to the reason for this arbitrary attitude. The Germans more than a week ago received orders from Berlin to prepare for evacuation, and their Commander was instructed to confer with the British and French Commanders. The latter of these two received similar orders on the 27th November. Great Britain was accused of delaying the settlement of the difficulty by not sending to Shanghai orders of the same import. No sooner, however, have the British fixed a date for their withdrawal than those who professed to be waiting for them announce their intention of remaining for another three months. Thus the whole large purchases of silver in London. miserable business promises to drag on indefinitely, for no confidence can be felt in any future decision as to date of evacuation. When the Japanese troops quitted Shanghai on the 22nd ultimo, the Japanese papers were careful to explain that if the 108 czs., and giving an average per ton of ore other Powers did not keep to their promise of evacuating the port the Japanese garrison would return. Whether this statement was inspired or not, we do not know. Such conduct on the part of Japan, however, would be logical, if expensive. It may be that in some future year we shall hear what were the grounds for the most remark- | being no great distance from the tram-line, and able exhibition of Western diplomacy a branch line if needed could be laid down with given in this matter of the withdrawal scarcely any preparation.

of troops from Shanghai. We are wont to [ rail at Oriental diplomatic methods as made up chiefly of delay and dishonesty. The apologists of the Western Powers will have a hard task to point out the differences between their clients' conduct in China and China's own ways. It was long ago surmised that international jealousy was at the bottom of the whole difficulty at Shanghai. It is becoming increasingly clear that this jealousy is the sole cause of the continued occupation of the port by France and Germany. An attempt has been made to undermine the British position in th Yangtsze Valley. We were unwilling to attribute the inception of this brilliant-plot to an European Power, preferring to believe that Prince CHING was chiefly instrumental, in pursuance of the time-honoured Chinese art of dividing the dangerous nations among themselves. But the last move in the game seems to reveal beyond doubt that it is not a Chinese mind which is directing it. No Chinaman of the smallest degree of patriotism would wish to protract the period of the humiliating occupation of Shanghai by foreign garrisons. The schemers must be sought elsewhere. What Britons would chiefly like to know is how the recent exhibitions of German policy can be made to square with the Kaiser's uniformly friendly attitude during the past few years. France, it is plain, is merely taking advantage of the situation; but the springs of German action are still to be discovered. Germans have just been resenting in strong terms the statement inade by Sir HORACE RUMBOLD, late British Ambassador at Vienna, in an article in the National Review, that Germany is Great Britain's bitterest enemy. But how can they logically object to such a remark when the history of more than three years points so much in that direction? The British people sees the facts and regrets them. No

Lieut. G. B. MacDonald, R.A., leaves Singapore for Hongkong by the König Albert about the 6th inst. to rejoin his company, H.K.-S.B.,

section of that people regrets them more

than Britons in Hongkong, where so many

Germans are esteemed fellow-residents.

But it is useless, and it would be extremely

disastrouss, to try to be blind. A good

understanding between Great Britain and

Germany would conduce more than any.

thing else to the peace of the Far East

But to render that understanding possibl

tactics is necessary.

a complete change from Germany's late

We have received from the Navy League an instructive pamphlet entitled . The Need for Effort," on the text taken from the Duke Devenshire's speech to the British Empire All letters for publication should be written on League on the 7th July last-"The question Imperial defence is one which cannot wait. If we wait till it solves itself we may wait unt there is no British Empire at all to defend."

> The good folks of Shanghai, says the Union, who voted for tramways on the plea that they would bring rents down, may be interested in learning that according to official returns of one place where trams were laid down, the rents increased from 10 to 25 per cent. It is only natural that, giving facilities for getting to and from a place, the value of land will increase and rents will be higher.

> Reuter's agent at Bombay, determined not to let us know too much about Siamese affairs, sent the following telegram to Bangkok but not to the Far East generally :- "London, November 19th. M. Etienne submitted to M. Delcassé the result of the meeting of deputies -(Colonial group)-on the subject of Siam M. Delcasé replied that he believed he had obtained from Siam the maximum of concessions. He was convinced that the Convention was most advantageous for France. Siam would recognise France's effort for a rapprochement. France preserved her rights of control on the

> The recent movements of the dollar, needless to say, have been watched with Consuming interest by a great number of people in Hongkong. The fluctuations have taken a more exciting turn during the past four days. The study of the figures for a fortnight shows that on the 17th ult. Bank Bills on demand stood at  $1/7\sqrt{3}$  d. Then a steady decline set in. On the 21st the figure was 1/74, on the 23rd 1/71, and on the 24th 1/77. Then the price fell below "one-and-seven" and the successive quotations were: -25th ult.,  $1/6\frac{16}{16}$ ; 26th,  $1/6\frac{7}{6}$ ; 27th,  $1/6\frac{1}{16}$ ; 28th and 29th,  $1/6\frac{9}{16}$ . With the end of last week a transformation occurred and Monday's quotation was 1/64, resulting in

The result of the crushing at the Punjom Mines for November is as follows:-190 tons | duced to-night. mineralised ore, yielding 22 ozs., 2 dwts., 7 gras.; 515 tons surface ore, yielding 88 ozs..-3 dwts, 8 grns.; making 705 tons for a yield of of 3 dwts. 1 grn. valued at \$4,800. The following extract is from the latter from the Mines! received yesterday: - Prospecting. - Murchison has discovered a reef, about 3 feet thick, in Kalampong Valley, and can get good prospects from the cap. We are trenching on it, and if the prospects continue we will put through a small trial crushing. The mof is well situated,

A scheme is on foot to connect by direct steamship service Port Swettenlam and Southern India,

The Coronation festivities in honour of the King of Siam on the 15th, 16th, and 17th ult. were held at Bangkok with great onthusiasmi

At the meeting of the Zetland Lodge held on Monday evening, Mr. B. Brotherton Harker was elected Worshipful Master for the ensuing

Such students of Malay as there may be in Hongkong will be interested to read of one of the latest aspects of the currency question, as given in the Pinang Gazette: - Scene .- Singapore Wharf. P. and O. liner just going alongside. Usual crowd of diving boys shouting "Dive, dive, &c." "Inglis money one shilling, two shillings six pence," and so forth. Pas-Facager shows a dollar, Throws it into the sea. Boysmake no effort to dive for it. Passenger. - Why you no dive? That one dollar." Boy Ya, tuan tapi kita ta bulih tau brapa harga!

The latest information about the s.s. Phra Chom Ktao, in the Siam Observer of the 20th ult., is as follows: -The damages to the s.s. Phra Chom Klao are to be repaired by the Bangkok Dock Company, definite instructions to that effect having been received. The whole of the damage sustained by the s.s. Phra Chom Kloa in her recent collision with the s.s. Kelantan is confined to the stem and contiguous plating. The plating attached to the stem from the deck downwards to the first strake is badly twisted and two frames on both sides are also damaged. The stringers and connectious will require to be removed and renewed. The port anchor was also broken by the impact. It is not known yet for certain whether the stem. which is broken, can be effectively repaired in Bangkok, or whether a new one will require to be obtained from home.

According to the Osaka Muinichi, the production of gold in Formosa continues to increase rapidly. The mines now working are confined to a small section of the district north of Kelung. When gold was first purchased by the Bank of Formesa its value was estimated at 800,000 yen a year. It increased to 1,000,000 and then to 1,500,000 yen in a very short space of time. When the bank started buying gold at first no small amount was being exported abroad by the natives. By paying the highest possible price, however, the Bank has been the means of entirely checking this indiscriminate exportation. A gold field has existed from ancient times at Southern Formesa and the lease was recently obtained by a Mr. Yamashita, but operations have not yet commenced. It is believed that a very promising future is before the gold mining industry of Formosa.

Telegraphic news in the Echo de Chine of 26th state that the polemics on the subject of the Siamese treaty continue. M. Etienne, replying to the Temps, demands a supplement to the negotiations bearing on (1) The frontier as far as the littoral; ( ) The 22-kilomètre zone reduced to purely military service; (3) Precise finition of the condition of French citizenship, not to exclude Chinese settled in Indo-Chins nor Cambodians resident in Siam; (4) The maintenance of French jurisdiction over al protégés; (5) Definition of real advantages in lieu of promises concerning public works. despatch to Japanese papers, dated Vienna, 20th November, says : - "The British Government will open negotiations with the French Government with the object of making clear their object in maintaining the integrity of Siam. A shortcoming is understood to have been discovered in the Angle-Franch Treaty of 1896." We should have thought there were, many shortcomings.

At Sandakan the other day; says a fouthern contemporary, a native convict managed to escape from a working party with a rifle and ten rounds of ammunition which he secured from the sentry on duty. He fled to the jungle, where the police fruitlessly sought for him. The runaway left the jung!e in the forencon of the next day, and accested some Sulu boatmen who agreed to take him to a neighbouring estate for \$2. No sooner had they started than the convict commenced to load his rifle. The Sulu sitting opposite, suspecting foul play, tried to wrest the weapon from him. While they were struggling, both fell out of the boat into the water and were pulled back by one of the others, who, realising that the fare was probably an escaped prisoner, bound him and brought him back to the goal, despite his entreaties to be killed rather than be returned to prison. His captors were hand somely rewarded by Government. The convict is a notoriously bad character.

THE JANET WALDORF CO.

There was a large attendance at the Theatre last night to witness the third performance of warmly applauded for her acting in the part of Claire Bayfield as Hefflergindt.

laughable comedy. Twetfth Night will be pro-

THE BAND PERFORMANCES.

Though the weekly band performances on the Parade Ground have been discontinued, we are pleased to be able to state that it is only for the winter months and that next year when the institution of these weekly programmes, and goodness in the very best possible way-by turning out invariably in large numbers on the afternoons when music was provided.

#### TELEGRAMS.

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE.

FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

LONDON, 2nd December, 11 acm

FRANCE AND THE SIAMESE CURRENCY.

M. Doumergue has decided to institute a

Commission re the currency of Siam, and promises to take the necessary measures t avert the crisis threatening French possessions in the Far East immediately the

Commission has formulated an opinion.

POSTPONED EVACUATION OF

SHANGHAI. The Standard assumes that the Franco-German postponement of the evacuation of Shanghai concerns the Yangtsze question, and says that the matter may be confidently left to Lord Lansdowne, whose principal task with regard to China now is to keep he Yangteze provinces primarily a British sphere of influence.

REUTER'S SERVICE.

LONDON, 3Jth November.

DE WETS BOOK ON THE WAR-FALSEHOODS REPEATED.

De Wet's book on the late war in South Africa, which is dedicated to " My fellow subjects of the British Empire," has been published It is severely critical, but not acrimonious. It disparages Lord Roberts' generalship, which it likely to succeed. declares was lacking in foresight; General Buller had to face by far the more difficult task. It apparently respects Lord Kitchener, but dube his block-house system the block-head system. It ridioules the British scouting, I alleges British barbarities against women, children, and the aged, and although cases are not specified, it says proofs can be produced in hundreds. It concludes with an appeal to the Boers to be loyal to Great Britain.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Council will be held to morrow, 4th December, at 3 p.m.

BUSINESS-QUESTIONS. I. Would the Director of Public Works give some explanation of the inequalities of the intermittent system with special reference to Queen's Garden and the higher levels of the Feak-why very many houses, which ought to get the full supply for the advertised period, get little or no water and even that little at a most insufficient pressure ?

2. To ask the Director of Public Works why the water accounts for 30th September are not yet out?

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

1. First reading of a Bill entitled an Ordin ance to authorise the making of Bye-laws by the "Star" Ferry Company, Limited. Ordinance to smend The Widows and Orphans Pension Fund Amendment Ordinance, 1902 (No.

12 of 1902). 3. Second reading of the Bill entitled an

dinance, 1901. 4. Second reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance to amend the Chinese Hospital Incorporation Ordinance, No. 3 of 1870.

.5. Second reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance to repeal Ordinance No. 5 of 1902. 6. Committee on the Bill, entitled an Ordinance to amend the law relating to Employers. and Servants.

7. Committee on the Bill entitled an Ordinance relating to the Naturalisation of Aliena. 8. Committee on the Bill entitled an Ordinance to consolidate and amend the laws relating to Public Health and to Buildings.

C. CLEMENTI, Acting Clerk of Councils.

THE ADVANTAGES OF A TRUST,

benefits which are derived from Trusts, in indemnity. Page's Magazine for last month, says: "The Russian oil-fields (which extend as far north as Saratov, on the Volga, and south and east to Afghanistan) have existed for over 2,500 years; yet the world had to wait for the genius of a anything of the kind yet unearthed on the Magda, and we must not forget to mention Mr. | oil immense distances to the seaboard and other of Secret Service men for months, had been Norval McGregor as Schwartze and Mr. St. places, where it was subjected to the incessant discharged for their connection with the conbusiness was commenced in 1869; but it was not have been at work between here and Tueson, until 1872 that the co-operation of the various endeavouring to get at the bottom of the case. refineries was effected. Previous to this, the | Among other things, they learned that freight price of refined oil shipped to Europe was train-men had been engaged in conveying con-2s. 9d., 3s. and occasionally 3s. 6d. per gallon in traband Chinese from this point to the California cargo quantities; but after the formation of the line, hidden in box-cars, and that they had combine, with its economical methods, the price | received large sums of money for their service. fell ultimately to 6d. per gallon in quantities of The result was that six train-men are reported weather begins to get warmer this welcome live gallons, delivered by a tank-cart at the to have been dismissed from the service by the form of entertainment will again have a vogue, retailer's shop door-at which price it stands division superintendent. According to the re-Too much thanks cannot be awarded to H.E | to-day. It is small wonder then (though port, \$100 per head was the sum paid for Chinese Major-General Sir William Gascoigne for the ignorance and jealousy die hard), that in the smuggled in this manner to Tueson, and \$150 face of such stupendous deeds as these, public to Yuma. As the train-men had not directly and that large aggregations of capital are now arrests. A man well known on the border is regarded with less animosity than were smaller | said to have been at the head of the smuggling combinations twenty years ago."

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

CANTON.

Canton, 1st December.

THE LATE VICERCY'S REMAINS.

On the 23rd ult. the remains of His Excellency the late Viceroy Tao Mu of the Two Kwang were conveyed back to his native place in Chekiang. Shortly after 10 a.m. while their Excellencies the Acting Vicercy Tak Sow and the Acting Provincial Governor Li-Hing Yui and a large number of officials, civil and destination.

ARMS FOR THE REBULS.

Certain Chinese fitted up and manned a boat looking like a maudarin boat, and shipped on board a large quantity of threarms to supply the rebels of Kwangsi. This when she passed by Wuchow, was seized by the mandarins there now, no matter what leat passes Wuchow, she is subject to strict search.

Lately General Wong Chi-chen was despatch ed with a battalion of soldfers to Ewangei; he has issued a notification that whoever captures the robel chief will get a big reward. The rebel chief knowing this has also issued proclamation that whoever brings Genera Wong Chi-chon to the rebel camp will get

\$10,000. General Wong was so frightened

at this that he had to stop at Wuchow.

A CRAVEN GENERAL.

A PROPOSED NEW MONOPOLY. A certain merchant named Cheong Ching In presented a petition to the Provincial Tressurer offering to take a monopoly of taxes upon the prostitutes in the flowerboats and on shore at \$120,000 per annum; for the licenses of such women he would charge \$3 a month, and for those of singing girls. \$2. The petition was transmitted to the Acting Prefect Kung to report on. Meantime another merchant also had offered \$400,000 for the same privilege; but I think neither the one now the other is

SEARCHING FOR TALENT. Since His Imperial Majesty Kwang Han

returned to Peking last year he has been cherishing ideas of reform of the Government; but amongst the ministers at Court there is not one gifted with special ability to bring about any reforms that have been so often talked of. We learn now that His Majesty has ordered a special examination to be held next year at Peking. The candidate must be an official not below the third rank, he must be a man of especial ability, and of rips experience, and if he passes, will be appointed to a high position. This order was sent to the Viceroys and Governors of all the provinces; but to this day they have not been able to find any such person fit for recommendation; so they had recourse to the magistrates and sub-prefects of the cities and towns. The magistrate of the Heungshan district has recommended one Wong Wing, a secretary or writer to the late prefect She, who has been degraded. He is now an editor of the newspaper Chung Sai Po of Canton. The man that the magistrate of the Tung Kun district has recommended- is a hanling named Wan Kan Kij who is at present doing nothing in his native place. Another recommended by the magistrate Pui King Fuk of the Nam Hoi district is Wai Kanyan, the grandson of a certain provincial governor, a young man who has taken no literary honours. The 2. Second reading of the Bill entitled an acting Viceroy and the acting provincial Governor have ordered the acting Prefect Kung to that could be desired, and in striking contrast hold an examination of these three to see what especial qualification each possesses before they Ordinance to further amend The Rating Or- be recommended to the Throne to occupy any will take place in a few days, the vessel important positions.

THE MURDER OF MR. EVANS. The case of the late Mr. Evans, who was wounded by pirates at a short distance from the Tiger forts and who subsequently died in the Canton Hospital, is said have been settled, the mandarine, civil and military, of that locality near by being held responsible. The Admiral and Commander of destined for the Hongkong-Canton run and the forts, Ho Cheung Ching, is ordered to pay an indemnity of \$12,000 to the widow and children of the deceased, and the Magistrate Lao Tak Hang of the Tung Kun district \$8,000. Lac Tak Hang, on receipt of the order, was very much dissatisfied with it, and prefers Mr. - Charles Lancaster, in discussing the to be degraded rather than pay his share of the

SMUGGLING CHINESE IN TEXAS

A Chinese smuggling fraud that surpasses Rockefeller, a Pratt, and a Rogers to design border was made public to-day, says an El Paso, improvements in distillation which have been spiracy. For six months past helf-a-dozen. scheme as scent for the Chinese.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not hold curselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

SOME THEATRE NUISANCES. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

Hongkong, 2nd December. Sir,-I would like to call your attackion to a maisance which happens at every performance in the theatre of Hongkong. It is a habit with some people to be always late, and to the annoyance of everyone in the vicinity and often military, were awaiting at the government to the whole theatre, it is their outtom to draw wharf, the coffin arrived, followed by the chief everyone's attention from the play by shuffling mourners, among whom were the deceased's about for their seats, even though there are a sons and daughters-in-law. It was placed on quantity of unoccupied seats immediately at board the gunboat Fuk Po, and transhipped to | hand in which they could sit until a more the steamship Sun Fung to be conveyed to its favourable opportunity should arise for them to occupy their own. Last evening, slee, many of the finest passages were simply rendered inaudible owing to the unmitigated nuisance of the "inter-act tramp." Particularly noticeable was this in the case of three or four gentlemen, who habitually rose with each fall of the curtain -probably to make more enquiries concerning that preverbial "dog"-but who lacked the good taste to return before the rise of the curtain, or even to be so considerate as to enter their seats quietly. By the noise made, one would have thought they had hoofs instead of

> Another circumstance which draws upon one's pity is illustrated by the following. In the very pretty scene where Magda meets the distinguished visitors, the stage lights suddenly went out, and really one of the abovementioned offenders almost curled himself up into a ball of laughter! Truly, as the circumstance would testify, it must have been a territio and a most stupendous joke, and one which none but the intellect of the said gentleman perceived! Truly, "home keeping youths have ever homely) wits." How fortunate it is to be old, when laughter is less spontaneous.

The rationals of playgoing is surely to see and to note the whole play, and not to be disturbed by a hundred preventable annoyances that one has to tolerate outside the theatre. Yours, etc., and a place (No., 16)

A STUDENT AND LOVER OF THE PLAY.

SAMPANS WANTED.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PERSS."

Hongkong, 2nd December. Six.—May I, through the medium of your widely circulated paper both in the Fleet and elsewhere, ask if it is possible for something to be done so that we, the men in H. M. Fleet, can obtain sampans after sunset without waiting fifteen, twenty, and thirty minutes both at Murray Pier and at the Naval Canteen steps. To get aboard his ressel a man has to be at either pier at 10.39, otherwise he cannot depend on reaching his ship by 11 o'clock. Only last evening. I and another waited fifteen minutes on Murray Pier; plenty of sampans were there too, but they did not care to come, and it was exactly another fifteen minutes before we got to our ship, which I might mention is quite close to the Naval Yard. Hoping an abler writer than myself will take the matter up .-Yours, etc.

LAUNCH OF A NEW BIVER STEAMER.

The river steamer Kwong Chow was successfully launched on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, from the yard of Messrs. Bailey & Murphy at Kowloon Bay, when the weather was all to the heavy wind which prevented her launching on Sunday evening. The steam trials having been launched with engines and boilers on board all ready for steam. After the launching ceremony Mesers. Balley & Murphy i entertained the owners and their friends on board, the usual teasts being duly honoured. to The launching weight of the Kwoig Chow is 550 tons, and she is believed to be so far the heaviest launch in the Colony. The ressel is is fitted with electric light throughout.

HAWAII UNDER U.S. GOVERNMENT

Speaking at a conference in New York a short while ago, the Rev. Dr. Twombly, of Hawali, dealt with the social and political conditions in the island, which, he said, were exceedingly bad. The worst elements in Hawaii to-day, he declared, were " the low-down Americans, carpet-baggers, adventurers, and other soum from the States, who had drifted there in recent years. Some of these men had obtained Federal appointments in the judiciary and other methods for the proper utilisation of petroleum; Texas, despatch of the 27th October, when it offices and had brought shame and scandal upon the drama Magda. Miss Janet Waldorf was first by effecting the co-operation of all the became known that several Southern Pacific the administration of law and justice. Added American refineries, and then by conveying the train-men, who had been under the surveillance to this element were the deserters from ships, professional oriminals and many ne'er do wells' from the States, who had come there since annexation, but who were now voters. As we have already announced, Shakespeare's copied by the rest of the world. The oil United States Marshals and Secret Service men The dominance of elements like these in the politics and legislation of the islands constituted one of the gravest perils of the situation. A limit upon the franchise seemed to be absolutely imperative if the local government was ever to be adminstered on a wise, honest, and economical basis. Another danger was that the interests of Hawaii would be put more and more in the background in the future colonial policy of the United States or subordinated to other interests which were antagonistic." The Rev. Douglas Birnie, who has been a pastor in Honolulu for several years. also spoke, and confirmed what Dr. Twombly the populace showed their appreciation of his feeling in the United States is rapidly changing, violated the Exclusion Act there were no had said in regard to the evils arising from "an ignorant, corruptible, and irresponsible vote which had given an opportunity to unscrupulous politicians.

#### ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

The third Club race was sailed on Sunday, November 30th, in a good, though somewhat variable, breeze of about the same strength as that which prevailed in the second race. Between 12 and 4 o'clock the wind in the middle of the harbour was considerably stronger than at the start, and Vernon, doubtless in anticipation of a froshening wind started with a reef down, which piece of cantion in all probability cost her the race. The start in the first class was very even, but Alannah to leeward was badly blanketed by Dione. Vernon was to windward. of the other two, and by the time the boats crosstacked for the first time had established a clear lead. Alannah did not seem to be going as well as in the last moe, and both her rivals soon drew: clear away from her. Dione, after clearing the shipping, stood further in towards the Hongkong shore than Vernou, and getting a stronger tide and some favourable southerly puffs off the bills, gained considerably, and shortly afterwards, passed clear sliend of the other new boat. For some distance there was little between the two, but as they approached Lycemoon the wind got lighter and Dione rapidly increased her lead. Shortly before the Beacon was reached Vernon shock out her reef and changed foresils very smartly, and being somewhat favoured by the wind lost little ground during the operation. Dione rounded the rooks about 24 minutes ahead of Vernon and about 4 minutes ahead of Alannah. On the run to Kowloon Rocks and the reach | bettle produced was registered in this Colony to Meyer's buoy the relative positions of the beats was unchanged, though Vermon drew up slightly on Dione and Alannah on both. Before Meyer's buoy was reached the tide had turned and all three boats started working up the Hongkong shore. Version, however, soon took a long board out into Kowloon Bay, and Dione followed her, while Alannah stuck to the Hongkong shore, trying to cheat the tide. Atannah was considerably astern of the other two by this time, but she might have had a chance had she not gone too close in opposite the Metropole Hotel and got ashore on the sand bank which there runs out some distance from the land. On this bank she stuck for 5 minutes or so, and afterwards was completely out of the to say that they did not know. He would race. The two new boats had a magnificent race. Vernon, with her full sail, gradually reduced the gap which separated her from Dione. and at one time it looked as if she would make the bose the woods "registered trade-mark." Beacon first. But in the light wind close under the shore Diene again crept away and got round the mark about a minute shead. On the run Vernon picked up a little, but not enough to give her the race, which ended as follows:---

Dione ... 4 27 14 ONE DESIGN CLASS. Bonito and Kathteen crossed the line together

Points Total

a few seconds after guatire, Bonito being to windward near the mark boat with Min and Collecn, followed by Erica, close astern. Min, well served by her new sail, passed and drew gradually away from the others, while Kathteen passed Bonilo. Erica took a long board into fore could not be the subject of a trade-mark. Kowloon Bay, and losing several minutes was, bar flukes, out of the race. Collech overhauled Kathleen in the rather fluky wind near the obtained from these springs is called "tansan." Beacon, which the two boats reached together, Kathleen having the inside berth and rounding first. On the run to the rock and the reach following Min further increased her lead and Kathleen drew away from Colleen. On the second beat and the run home the boats maintained their positions, except that Benito gained considerably on Colleen, which was badly served every respect excepting the mere word "tansan' by the wind near the Beacon, and subsequently passed her on the run. At no time during the race did the issue look doubtful, and Min is to

be congratulated on her win. The times at the finish were :--

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In this class Chanticleer came out for the first time this season and Payne was an absentee, a very unusual thing; for she has very seldom missel a race in all her long racing career. Iris was again well to the fore throughout the race, this time in the hands of Commander Deane of the Tomar, and finished an easy

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The following items are from the P. & T Times down to the 19th ult.:-It is stated that Funghuangehong, at the mouth of the Yalu River, is to be opened to whereas the other side had just started the use

order are to be left intact, but the rest are to prove that the plaintiff inverted it and adouted be converted into schools.

on the bedy of Alexander Thompson: the that spring obtained a certain reputation in the verdict being that he died of homorrhage to the market; and that these other people, trying to brain caused by excessive alcoholism.

cident :- I grieve to state that a terrible Japan-said. "We will call this tansan."

# SUPREME COURT.

Tuesday, 2nd December.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. BEFORE HIS HONOUR SIR W. MEIGH GOODMAN (CHIEF JUSTICE).

THE "TANSAN" DISPUTE.

This was a cross summons arising out of an application by J. Clifford Wilkinson, Kobe, Japan, for an order for an ex parte injunction against Ea Shu & Co., Hongkong, agents for Ishimichi & Co., Kobe, Japan, selling or dealing in mineral waters under the designation

Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., barrister-at-law, appeared for the plaintiff (instructed by Mr. C. D. Wilkinson of Messre. Wilkinson & Grist, solicitors); and Mr. M. W. Slade, barrister-atlaw, appeared for En Shu & Co., the defendants (instructed by Mr. F. B. Deacon of Mesars. Dencon & Hustings, solicitors).

Mr. Slade made a motion that the order for an

ex parte injunction previously obtained in that Court be set saide on the grounds of misrepresentation, the suppression of material facts. That order restrained the defendants from selling or dealing in mineral waters under the designation of "tansan" until the motion for the injunction was heard. The material statement on which that order was made was the affidavit of Mr. R. H. B. Mitchell of Messrs. Price & Co, in which he swore that the trademark of the plaintiff which appeared on the en 23rd March, 1900; he stated also that the this water described as "tansan" and were selling it cheaper than the plaintiffs. Now, investigation had been made and it transpired that no such trade-mark was registered in this Colony and that the trade-mark registered was entirely different in every essential material excepting the word "tansan," which was written, too, in a different way. There they had a most material misrepresentation of the actual fact. Mr. Mitchell was not the plaintiff. The plaintiff was Mr. Clifford Wilkinson, and he knew perfectly well what trade-mark was registered, and Mr. Mitchell not the only agent of the plaintiff in this Colony. Mr. Mitchell might not know what trade-mark was registered. the solicitors of the plaintiffs had not stiempted which had been sworn as being registered in March. 1900, there was a direct untrue statement by the plaintiff hemself, namely, the label was this false statement of fact which had

Mr. Pollock-I'am under the impression that it has been registered in England. Mr. Slade replied that if that was the position of the plaintiff it should have been stated previously. There was no evidence on the point. His Lordship remarked that the only question appeared to be the use of the word "tansan." When the motion was before him he assumed that "tansan" was a special name not common to the trade, but the affidavits on the other side seemed to show that this description of this kind of article was common to the trade.

Lordship to make the restraining order.

Mr. Slade stated that us a matter of fact an notion had been brought by Mr. Clifford Wilkinson in Japan upon the use of this very word "tansan," and it had been there decided that "tansan" was a common word and there-

His Lordship-Practically like soda water? Mr. Siade-Yes. This is a slightly mineral effervescent water; the whole of the water His Lordship - Has the plaintiff himself authorised this action; he must have known o the decision given in Japan ?

Mr. Pollock-Yes, my lord. Mr. Slade went on to say that that undoubtedly was so. The settlement of the suit in Japan must have been known to the plaintiff's agents in Hongkong. The trade-mark on which this suit was brought was essentially different in from the other. One was yellow and one blue. It had been held in Japan that the plaintiff could not have any protection for the usethe word "tansan," as it was a word in common use, as one might say "soda water" or "appollinaris." That fact was within the knowledge of the plaintiffs and was not revealed to his Lordship on the application for the ex parte injunction. In not mentioning this

material fact the plaintiff was guilty of a serious error of judgment. His Lordship remarked that when the application for this order was submitted to him. he specially asked whether the plaintiff claimed exclusive right to the use of the word "tansan. because he had some doubt in his own mind on the point, but he was told that they claimed a monopoly in that word and granted the injunction accordingly. That statement did not

now appear to be right. Mr. Slade said there had been legal proceed ings in Japan on the point and it had been so

His Lordship added that of course that was in a foreign country and was not binding upon him. At the same time it was in Japan where the word "tansan" was used, and where they were certainly in a position to say whether it was o

was not in common use. Mr. Pollook, in addressing the Court, admitte that a reprehensible mistake had been made i the affidavit, but contended that it was no done with the object of breaking faith with th Court. He went on to state that even if were to be established on proof that the wor "tansan" was a common generic name for mineral water in Japan be would still have gone on with the motion for restraint, on th ground that the label in use now by the defendant was a colourable imitation of that registered by the plaintiff, who had been using the latel referred to for two years down here, of the label complained of. With regard to The temples in Chilli opened by Imperial the name "tansan," they hoped to be able it as the designation of the water from h An inquest was held at Tientsin on the 27th mineral spring; that the water coming from take advantage of the reputation which A correspondent sends our contemporary the "tansan" had acquired in the market—ci following account of the Tongshan Pit ac- course there were plenty of mineral springs in

ceased to denote the plaintiff's ownership. These matters would have to be gone into byand by, and be submitted that the mere fact that an extract was put in by the other side from the judgment of a Japanese court, without. them being acquainted with the facts haid before the Court or the arguments or the way in which the plaintiff a case was shaken, was practically irrelevant. This Court would also have to consider this point-the-use of the word "tansan" in this Colony. It was possible that while in Japan the word might have become more or less in common use so as to indicate to porsons purchasing tansau in Japan a general The Bill is also further amended in the direcgeneric term for mineral water, in Hongkong tion of striking out all reference to minerals. they might be entitled to protection. The Clause 32 has also been negatived. This question would be. How does this tansan stand in Hongkong? what reputation has it got? It would not be whether there were hundreds or grant in fee simple of the land to which he is thousands of people in Japan fond of drinking entitled under the contract, together with all mineral water labelled "tansan," but what repn- gold metals and minerals thereon and theretation the waters had in Hongkong and what under: Provided that no grant of land shall individual or firm acquired that reputation for tansan in Hongkong. He would submit that so far as the evidence before the Court went it was all one way, namely, that it was the plaintiff in this case, Mr. Clifford Wilkinson, who had acquired in Hongkong a reputation for

His Lordship, commenting upon the similarity of the labels, said that if it was shown that the defendants had changed their yellow trademark for the later one more nearly resembling that of the plaintiff with the purpose of coming down and capturing the Hongkong market he would be very much inclined to stop it.

Mr. Pollock admitted that without evidence it certainly looked suspicious. He would suguntil the particulars could be got down from | civilised world. The ramifications of the plot

prima facie case for protection. He did not say nor did he think that the gentleman who made the affidavit intended in any way in deceive the Court, but he wished to impress upon those who made affidavits in that was sworn that a certain label was registered. is complete and ruinous. As a matter of fact it was not registered, but one very similar to it was. That mistake had now been corrected. Under the circumstances he must find that the Court had not the full information given to it when it was asked to make an exparte injunction, and therefore he must discharge the order with costs. He did not think there was any question of damages. and Beetcheff. as the order had been in force for only a few induced or did something towards inducing his days. With regard to the second part of the question, that the injunction be continued until the judgment, he did not know whether Mr. Pollock wished to go into that further.

Mr. Pollock said he was willing to a continuation, subject to an undertaking for damages. Mr. Slade stated that he might be able to save the time of the Court if he were allowed to make a statement. The defendants in the were merely agents who did not want to run any risks. As soon as this registered trade mark had been brought to their notice they recegnised that they were sailing rather near the wind, and on behalf of the defendants he was willing to automit to an injunction restrainmineral water, calling it tansan, as long as they | the zealots were removed bodily. used labels which were not too nearly like the

registered trade-mark in the Colony. claim of the exclusive right to the use of the married.

word "tansan." His Lordship said he would not have been inclined to grant an injunction on the word · tansan " after hearing what the judgment was in Japan. He would grant a continuation of the interim injunction on the lines suggested, which of course would not predude the plaintiff at the trial from establishing his right to the exclusive use of the word "tansan." The order was granted accordingly. The Court adjourned.

#### SMUGGLING OPIUM AT SEATTLE

A Scattle, Washington, telegram, dated, the 28th October, says -- the largest seizure of contraband opium made by local Customs officers for some time was found to-day on board the United States Coast Survey cutter Gedneu Its value is estimated at \$1,000, there being eight pounds in the lot. Gong Gee, former! steward of the Gedney, now in the Count Jail awaiting trial on a charge of attempting to smuggle a countryman from Victoria to Seattle on the same vessel last week, is to be charged with attempted opium smuggling. The case is the boldest one that has ever been brought to the attention of the local Customs authorities. Another strange point is that Gong Gee is believed to have attempted to escape apprehension on a smuggling charge through the agency of a son of Mr. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury. The young man, who is a guest on the Gedney, told one of the officers that Gong Geo had requested that his clothing and effects be thrown overboard to get rid of them. Later in the day one of the countrymen of the Chinese appeared on the steamer and made a request for Gong Geo's effects, stating that he was a brother of the man. The officer refused to allow the things to be disturbed without authority from the Customs officers. The se were notified of the demands for the clothing, and Inspector Lavin went aboard the vessel to search then befo e allowing them to be taken ashore. With very little difficulty the officer discovered one ten-pound package in the former steward's room. After this discovery the search was prosecuted more carefully. In all, eight of the packages were found. They had been carefully distributed about the steward's rooms with his supplies and his personal effects. In all their experience none of the local officers of the Customs service have ever discovered any attempt to smuggle goods across the line which was conducted with so much effrontery. The centres strange part of the whole affair is that it is even doubted that Gong Gee is legally in this country. He had no papers with him when placed under arrest on Saturday morning. However, he claims that they are in San Francisco. Gong

#### LATE TELEGRAMS.

AUSTRALIA'S TRANSCONTINENTAL LINE. Adelaide, 7th November. The Transcontinental Railway has passed be made for any portion of the railway which is less than forty miles in length."

Adelaide, 7th November. a lecture here last evening, on the conclusion of which a strong socialist domocratic party was formed. There was a regular rush for mem-

BANKNOTE FORGERIES IN LONDON. Adelaide, 10th November.

Adelaide, 10th November. News is just to hand of the occurrence of a Court that if they swere to a thing it was terrific tornado in N.S. Wales, which has almost really essential that they should not swear, to it annihilated two considerable towns unfortunateunless they knew it to be so. If they were ly in its track, viz. Canowindra, about 227 swearing simply upon information given by miles west of Sydney, with population of 500. somebody else they should say, "I have and Peak Hill, 272 miles west of Sydney, with been informed so-and-so and believe that population of over one thousand, The wind was so-and-so is the case." There was no doubt of such tremendous force that many solid stone about it that the Court was deceived quite buildings were levelled with the ground or unintentionally, he admitted, as to the precise damaged beyond repair. Within the radius of nature of the trade-mark registered here. It the narrow track of the tornado the devastation

Adelaide, 11th November. The Canadian police have arrested all the members of the mad Russian religious fanctics known as the Donkhobors, who recently formed a settlement in Canada. These settlers are reduced to the last stages of emaciation owing to want of food and exposure, the result of voluntary renunciation of available diet and clothing of which the tenets of their peculiar sect forbid the use, and the above action is the only feasible method of protecting the fanatics against themselves.

Further details respecting the Doukhobou problem in Canada show that when these mad ing them from using this trade-mark. They fanatics were arrested by the Canadian police did not think that it was altogether fair. They, they formed themselves into a solid square, however, were only agents and had these things surrounding the women and children, and sent down to them: What they were willing to stolidly refused to budge an inch. Eventually fight was the exclusive use of the word the services of some hundreds of neighbouring "lansan." They held they were entitled to sell citizens had to be obtained, with vehicles, when

Adelaide, 12th November. Mr. Pollock intimated his willingness to The Bishop of London refuses to visit any agree to this course, without prejudice to his church where divorced persons have been re-

GREAT BRITAIN'S GRANTS.

London. 7th November. The speech which Mr. Chamberlain made in. the House of Commons when explaining the necessity for appropriating £8,000,000 for grants and loans to South Atrica has produced an excellent impression in Europe. The grant to sufferers by the war is acknowledged to be a noble tample of generosity. Some European newspapers declare the grant to be unprecedented in the relations between victor and

London, 6th November. In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Chamberiain stated that 70,000 out of 103,000 persons who were in the concentration camps have been repatriated. The camps are still costing £200,000 per month. He added that all except the Opina Farm. 3,000 of the Boer prisoners would be repatriated

THE BOERS' FUTURE.

London, 7th November. A correspond at of the Standard accompanied Lord Milner, who has arrived at Johannesburg. on his visit to the Standerton and other southeastern pastoral districts of the Transvaal The correspondent declares that the Boers have lost everything except their land. Happily, the correspondent states, the value of land bas risen considerably and the prospects of the agricultural and mineral industries, the latter especially in coal and iron, are bright. The Government is starting schools on farms and do them boarding-houses will ultimately be statement. attached.

BLUE BOOK. London, 7th November. Owing to the criticisms which have been

TUBE RAILWAYS IN LONDON.

London, 6th November. The principal main line railway companies propose to undertake tubing the metropolis and linking the termini by means of primary circles

" THE EUSSIAN ARMY, Lendon, 7th November.

The socialist paper Forwarts states that General Kuropatkin, the Russian Minister for War, has issued a confidential circular to district

NEWS VIA NORTH AUSTRALIA.

through all its stages in the Legislative Council. New clauses are inserted providing for the use of Australian-made rolling stock and other material; also for the transfer of the railway to the Government at the end of a period of twenty years from the date of its completion. provided that "for every mile of milway constructed the contractor shall be entitled to

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS IN ADELAIDE. Mann, the noted English socialist, delivered

Ten persons are new in custody in connection with the recent bank note forgeries in London. The London detections have been working indefatigably, and have succeeded in unravelling one of the hugest conspiracies to defraud gest that the interim injunction be continued ever recorded in the criminal annals of the Japan. They had at any rate establish d a are found to have extended throughout England, Russia, Italy, and Spain, and every detail was His Lordship, in giving judgment, said he so skilfully arranged that the banking systems on north many thought it was his duty to discharge the in- of those countries must have been victimised in terim injunction He discharged it with costs. fabulous amounts had the scheme not been fortunately discovered in London at the outset. "GREAT TORNADO IN N.S. WALES.

> BULGARIAN AFFAIRS. London, 10th November. great sensation has just been created throughout Bulgaria by the publication of correspondence showing that M. Ludskanoff, Minister of the Interior, had organised a plot for the murder of MM. Stambuloff, Vulkovitch

THE DOUKHOBORS IN CANADA.

12th December.

BISHOP OF LONDON ON DIVORCE.

SOUTH AFRICA.

THE CONCENTRATION CAMPS.

before Christmas.

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POLICE COURT. Tuesday, 2nd December.

BEFORE MR. F. A. HAZELAND (POLICE MAGISTRATE.)

ALLEGED THEFT FROM WARREN'S CIRCUS. Thomas Callaghan, bill-poster, was charged with stealing a Mauser rifle, a sword, and two blankets, of the total value of \$14, from Warren's Circus. He pleaded not guilty.

John Stokes, until recently an employee with the Circus, told his Worship that he was an American, when asked, "What are you?" On A SCOTCH WHISKY OF EXCELLENT the point being explained, he specified his occupation, and proceeded to state that the defendant got the rifle and sword from him on the excuse that he had been told by Mr. Warren to clean them. The sword was not in Court, but witness said he was able to identify the rifle, which was produced. The blankets he was not at all sure about.

The defendant, who looked ill and was ac commodated with a chair, said he was too sick to put questions to the witness. The only man who could speak on his behalf, he added, was dead. Lance-Sergeant Kerr denosed to arresting the accused, who told him that the rifle and blankets were lying for safe-keeping in a house

in Wanchal. In his statement, defendant said the rifle and eword were given into his charge at Peking by Mr. Warren.

The evidence being unsatisfactory to his Worship, the defendant was discharged. A charge of receiving stolen goods against the Chinese woman in whose house the rifle and blankets were found was also dismissed. Mr. P. W. Goldring appeared on her behalf.

Lance-Sergeant Kerr then charged the woman with being in possession of the rifle without a permit from the Captalu Superintendent of Poice, but the case again t her in this connectionalso fell to the ground. PERJURY BY A WITNESS.

Giving avidence in a case in which a Chinose woman was charged with being in possession of opium, and in which Mr. G. K. H. Brutton appeared for the defence, a Chinese excise officer, No. 54, told such a trumped-up story that, his Worship placed him in the dock on a charge of perjury.

The accused had nothing to say for himself, and he was fined \$15 or a month's hard labour. He is also to be dismissed from the service of

The woman was discharged.

BEFORE ME. J. H. KEMP (ACTING POLICE MAGISTRATE).

FILIPINO STABBING CASE.

Manuel Gonsales, a Filipino, was charged with stabbing another Filipino pamed Sipiano Kebudo during a quarrel in a house at 52, Stanley Street on Sunday night. The particulars of the affair we have already published. The complainant was able to appear in Court, LAFES in the Colony. Call and See. and when his evidence and that of other wit-A nesses had been heard, the defendant made a

He described the quarrel which led up to the assault with the knife, an ordinary table one. and said he picked it up for self-protection when he followed the complainant and four other men from the louse into the street. As he emerged he received a violent blow on the back of the head, and immediately swung round with the hand holding the knife, which struck of drink at the time, defendant concluded, and

if he had been sober the affair would not have

happened: His Worship said the recused was convicted and would be sentenced to a term of imprisonment with hard labour. The case would be PROTESTANT MISSIONARIES remanded, however, until medical evidence could be adduced as to the nature of the wound. If it turned out to be a superficial one, the sentence he intended passing would be reduced.

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STRANGE STORIES OF THE AUSTRALIAN BUSH,

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(Author of "My Australian Girlhood," &c) Strange stories of the Bush! Fearsome indeed would these be could the Great 6 im Wild

give up all its secrets. Australia is old-oldin the second childhood of its liest antiquity. But of the peoples that dwelt there in anciout days, and of the cataclyms which have made the land what it is, no history has been written. save such as may be found in its extinct volcanoes, its strange mammals, its weird-looking gum-trees, and the legends of the Blacks The civilizing Englishmen murches with long

steps when once he sets foot on the soil. He an iconoclast, and an instrument of fate, tending the beautiful workings of civil law and worst of ail, grog. Under his influence, bush remance of the old wild nort must needs die quickly and there is small Lope, in a brand new Commonwealth, that anything will be left of the peculiar postry of the Bush,

When I was young, imagination had yet a chance of rioting among the possibilities of unexplored wastes. Now, the explorer has but attainable, uninhabitable terror. You can't ble deity sending swift punishment on some and fever-launted swamps, for the spear that piane or a sewing machine. Lushmen gru uble, for ladles and banies are as thick as bundicoots, while it is a quarter of a century or over since the old Nevel-Never Country consed to be the white man's grave. This shouts things back to ment House stands, and wild white men stil roamed the bush.

Convicts, these, mostly, as long as penal settlements lasted; and afterwards within my own time-occasional escapees from Caledonia. One of such—an ex-chel-did for nearly a year provide Palais-Royal fare for a squatter in the coast blocks, who till then had cheerfully subsisted on salt junk and damper, and who afterwards, as far as his polate went. 43 and 45. Des Voux Road. Shipchandlers, was a spoiled man. How the French cook concocted those dainty dishes, I know not. and General Storekeepers; Sole Agents | Brunton Stephens, the Australian poet, tells for Shipowners Composition ("Grey. | the tale of how a Chinaman wrought succulent pies out of a litter of new-born pupples. It is certain, however, that for those who look, the Bush has delicacies to furnish for ha Roman banquet. I can with personal knowledge speak of the excellence of iguana flesh; also of a sort of truffle fungus to be dug in the scrub, and weird but toothsome large, pouched mice, and eggs of a mouster aut-all of which require initiation to be appreciated.

WILD WHITE MEN. The wild white men make a chapter of their own in the strange remance of the Bush. ] remember a certain goblin terror of my nursery days, taking rank with Debil-debil of the blacks' camp—the wild white man of Brible Island who could be whistled for by the authorities to carry us sway and eat us if were naughty. The Bribie Island Marconer-a shipwrecked seaman who had cast in his lot with the Blacks. and would not be persuaded to leave them-was before my time, however. So was William Bulkley, the first runaway from Governor Philips' convict station-a giant in stature, and in the astonished eyes of the natives beholding a white man for the first time -a supernatural vicitant. They took him to be a re-incarnation of one of their own chiefs, or, as they put it, "one fellow black, gone bong (dead) and jumped up white man."

This superstition has enved the life of more than one Australian castaway. Porhaps in the case of Barbara Thompson which to doubt suggested the most powerful of the late Gran Allen's short stories—the native belief in re-incarnation was not an allogather welcome means of salvation. One can well imagine a delicately brought up young girl preferring to die rather than become the wife of Boroto, her black res cuer. But Pinguai, an ancient brave, declared her to be the ghost of his dead daughter, Giom ALFRED CUNNINGHAM. Sixty Illustra- and so Barbara was taken to the bosom of the tribe, learned the Blacks' language, which she spoke fluently, conformed to their oustoms, and bare children to her dusky spouse, wondering with him and his brethren for nearly five years when she was rescued and taken back to her parents in Sydney. Imagination shrinks before the horror which that five years interlude of Thompson's life. That was not so long ago, nor was the rescue of Murrell, whom I remember being lionished in Brisbare when he was brought into civitisation after seventeen years of of what has been accomplished under M. nomadic existence with the Blacks. Murrell had been shipwiseked and reached the coast with a small party of survivors from the grisly experience of forty days upon a raft, when a shark, baited with the limb of a dead comrade, provided the wretched party with food. A white woman and her husband were cast away with Murrell, and the Blacks hailed the three as spirits of the tribe, " jumped up white fellow," according to the formula, and danced correborees round them, and fed them and handled them as though they had been new toys. S. me of the natives would have carried away the woman, hadnot the while men bought her off by giving up their clothing and knives to the Blacks. Poor Mrs. Pitkethly !- that was her name. She endured her lot for two years. Her husband diedfirst, and death mercifully released her four days later.

BUSH SUPERSTITIONS. Bush remuce tends to the trapic. It is elemental, terrible, groteque. An Australian sculptress spoke to me once of fixing in marble the Genius of the Bush. In what guise should grand monster, with a beautiful human head.



l and limbs unconch, embryonic, even revolting-a Being, fuscinating, mysterious, abnormal, with grussome facts of the bush. Robbery and tr the lightning-blasted rocks, the great queer highwaymen, and the rest seem common or gargrass tufts with blackened stems and giant den miscreants in comparison. Garding, howe tutelary divinities of the Bush.

people who said they had, though they could Now, Labour Unionists have taken the place of give no satisfactory description of this legendary | the traditional bushranger, and are less gallant monster; and I have in memory lagoons which | and more of a nuisance. If they don't sink up no black would swim across, and where even gold escorts they make themselves obnexious in to the survival of the littest He brings fire- bullock-drivers with their teams preferred not a more hemoly way, and the labour problem is to choose their camping-ground.

Sometimes he is a bird, never seen but uttering a deleful wail which has the effect of clearing from the spot all black humanity. Or he is a undisputed sway. One never wearies of the fire-god, fierce and vengeful, sending madness enthralling tale of prespecting in the wildsupon those dwelling in the scrubs presumably millions depending upon the upthrow of a pick, OF AN MALS. because in such moist regions his powers are and upon the direction of a boot-toe which may limited. Or he is a gigantic kangaroo, or the bring to light a lump of quartz or the mahix of an undistinguished vocation, and little remains or Murriula, prototype of the diago, or native never cease to interest as long as human greed to be learned behind even the fustnesses of the dog Now he is the shapeless and invisible endures. And there must ever be the same spirit haunting a black's buried place and caus- leager quest, the excitement of the fossicker who Bight. The Barcoo district is not now an un- ing the tribe to migrate; and again, the terri- cares nothing for miseries of tick-infested scrubs hapless gin or lubra a black mailen) who has flieth by day and the terror of the night-for violated the aboriginal code of laws, in some re- who can say that to-morrow he may not find a spects cariously Mossic., The motimorphoses lead, and a year beam be marching throughly of D bil-debil are numerous as the avatars of Melbourne streets with what is called the mil-Vishau, and his power to kill, andreumscribed. | lionaire strut ? When a black fellow wants to trescherously do Life connever be dull in the bush. The very the beginning, when carnibals held their orgins away with a foe, he secretly cuts off a lock of skies overhead are the harbinger of fortune or the fee's har and bucks it, invoking Debil-debil, the foreteller of ruin. Rains may flood the who speedily brings it about that the enemy rivers, drown the plains, and destroy the fruits | 2978 gives up the ghost. Another method equally of a years' lambing. Or a long spell of drought efficacious, is to point at the intended victim a may mean the bankruptcy court. A debt on bone prepared by a native doctor, soaked in the station and no rain for two years, with human blood and dried over the smoke of cer- gaunt, famine-stricken cattle, and piteouslytain wood, after which soon the tribe-knows bleating sheep gazing from the banks of dry that man no more. There is no end to the waterholes, may well drive the unfortunate. superstitions concernior Debit-debit-a Euro- squatter to madness, suicide, or perhaps worse pean graft upon aboriginal mythology.

> others that glide above, from tree to tree, and there comes a poor shearing-when grass Riding through the Bush ou a mosnlight night, fails, and the creeks and lagoous are a leathly with the cerie shadows, the monstrons shapes bog. Bad, too, for the man of cattle, should of vegetation, the meanuy cries and creepy plearo take his stocks, and a mining boom mutterings of bird, beast and reptile, any leg- bring reactionary desolation and the closing of and might seem to have its foundation in reality, meat-preserving establishments. No, it's not More especially, if the bush be a gidya scrub in all beer and skittles in the bush. es drought. Then the gray ghostly foliage and But when seasons are good and kine well black trunks rise from a bare, white ground on favoured, when lilies float on the waterholes, which the shadows look like moving things, and the rivers run to Kingsley's song of Clear while a faint sickly odour, resembling that of a | and Cool; when slicep are smothered in healthy corpse, comes from the trees, for the gidya fleeces, and the big booms are going steady, and poisons the ground, so that only sait bush you've sold out evough to clear yourself, and grave, and I have heard the most matter-of-fact | the fun of bossing a show-well, then you may that road on a moonlight night.

TRAGEDIES OF THE BUSH. Found dead in the bush! How many a name less grave has been dug by passing stockrider. into which have been put the grisly remains of some poor wretch, who has laid down under a gum-tree and breathed his last breath. Occasionally, such an one may be identified by his clothes, his pocket-knife, a strap, or what not, or maybe he has managed to carve his initials on the bark, but most often hawks and dingoes have left little means of telling who and what he was. "Lost in the bush" is a pitiful requiem-most pitiful when the victim is a child a fencer's boy perhaps, or the hut-keeper's little girl. Then all the station hands turn out; tho black trackers are set to work, and sometimes the child is found alive, but generally it is sleeping its last sleep. Most gruesome fate, too. is it to be thrown from horseback in the bush. and to lie helpless, unable to move or stave off the horrors stealthily approaching-the hawks swooping ever lower and nearer; the soldier auts crawling on their prey. I have heard a man who was thrown and injured while out on the run, describe such slow torture endured before the rescuers came.

Some of these dead waifs were turned out of a grog shanty when the cheque began to run low. In old days, shepherds and stockmen would take their year's cheque, give it to the keeper of the shanty, and drink doctored rum stordily, till the landlord said there was no more money, or, afraid of the law would put the pour wretch upon his horse, give him a bottle of spirit, and hend him into the bush, where delirium tremeus usually overtook him. and he might, or might not, escape doom. Such tragedies happen again and again.

Many an Englishman-a college graduate, the

scapegrace of some noble family, sent as a last hope to the colonies—has gone under thus.
"A man dead in the bush!" The news goes, brought in by shepherd or black boy. The nearest magistrate is sammoned. A hasty inquest follows, and a rule burying in a grave beneath a gnm-tree. Neither prayer-book nor Bible is forthcoming, and memory fails to recall mered words. But something must be said. Once, a hut-keeper produced a tattered volume of Gulliver's Travels—oh! shade of Dean Swift!—and a paragraph therefrom concluded the ceremonial. Pray Heaven that a soul thus ushered without benefit of clergy across the Big Border may meet with tenderer treatment than has been accorded it here! Says Webster's Duchess of Malfi:

"I know Death hath ten thousand several For men to take their exits."

The last Earl of Stafford was not the only one in the old roaring days who lost his king. dom by the " knocking down of the cheque," as bush slang puts it. If was a strange, mad oreature-William stafford-Perrot he called himself-one time superintendent on a station. and afterwards estler in so inp-I-lave heard my father tell the story-who drank, gambled, jocked, and adventured, and had even then a wild career behind him. He had been shipwrecked originally on the South American coast, had lived among wandering Indians, conveyed llamas to port, worked in a copper mine and learned the art of throwing the machete-it was not safe to be with him and his Mexican Sole Agents: knife during a drinking boat. Then hey for the diggings, when the rush started for the 119-17 Australia gold-fields! But Perrot was unlucky, and took to odd trades. One day, a squatter met him waiting at the post-office for the English mail. His letters brought bim unlooked for news, and the Crown Prosecutor confirmed them. Perrot was ostler then, and had blacked the Crown Prosecutor's boots. The Crown Prosecutor told him that he was indubitably Earl of Stafford, gave him a cheque for £100, and took his passage home. £100 is a big sum for even an earl, a shanty-keeper, and a crowd of thirsty diggers to change into grog. But our new peer managed to dispose of a good part of it, and before the ship salled which was to bear him to his kingdom, the last Earl of Stafford had drunk himself to death.

One might prate for hours about the old ! the end wild eyes of one who has gazed since arms, like the wild white men, the cannibal the beginning of creation upon strange things. blacks, and the tally of murdered explorers, has How else embody a spirit of the Bush who become almost a thing of the past. There is would be in harmony with the desolation of this romance and to sparg in the stories of the bushwilderness-with the gaint, twisted gam-trees, rangers. Ned Kelly was the last of the grand spikes, like specimens of some primeral growth, ever, who robbed the gold escort, and held New the gloomy scrubs, the lonely water-holes shad. South Wales in terror for a time, had a story oned by leprous she-oaks, the huge gorges behind his name, and it was whispered, was riven in pre-historic cataclyms, the vast plains | released, after having been sentenced to thirty. over which Drought, the spectre always hovers, two years penal servitude, in consequence of changing them into arid deserts? What place influential pressure brought to bear from Engwould there be here for graceful Oread, merry | 1 and upon the Governor and Executive. Other Fain, or the good old piping Paul Debit-debit small fry of bushrangers contented themselves and the Bunyip come nearer to the mark, as with bailing up stations, frightening the women. and helping themselves from the store, generally I never saw the Bunyip, but I have met after ascertaining that the menkind were away. the crux noon which political parties split and As for Debil-debil, his shapes are various. The pivot upon which Australia's future turns. THE GOID FIELDS.

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-dishonour. This a bad business for the sheep-There are spirits too who inhabit caves and owner when wool good down a panny a panul,

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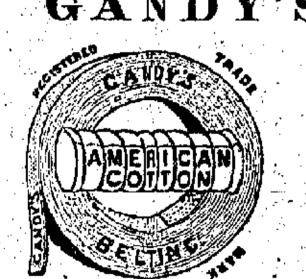
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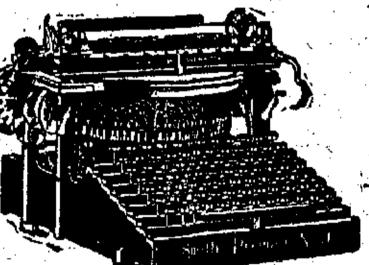
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4 P.M. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required, Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent. Hongkong, 24th November, 1902.

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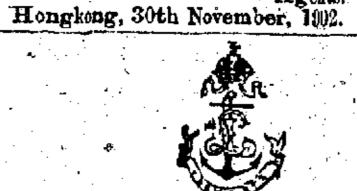
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Princes' Buildings. Hongkong, 29th November, 1902.

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"PRINSESSE MARIE," Captain Berentzen, due here about the 10th 'inst., will have quick desputch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. . G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1902.

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DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, General Agents for China and Japan. Hongkong, 4th August, 1897

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGA-

TION COMPANY, LIMITED. **⚠ONSIGNEES** per Company's Steamer

"MOYUNE"

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 2nd instant.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 8th inst. will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 8th inst. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1902. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "MACDUFF," FROM GLASGOW, LEVERPOOL AND STRAITS. With s.s. HINDUSTAN'S Cargo from New York transhipped at Singapore.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informod that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves

delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded nuless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, 29th inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 5th December will be subject to rent.

All Chims against the Steamer must be prosented to the Undersigned on or before the 8th December, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th December, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & CO., LIMITÉD,

Hongkong, 29th November, 1902. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

"BAYERN,"

delivery may be obtained.

OF THE NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium. Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., To-DAY, the 27th inst. . No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 4th December, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on THUESDAY, the 4th December, at 9.30 a.m. All Claims must reach us before the 7th

December, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

MELCHERS & CO.,

Agents. Hongkong, 27th November, 1902. STEAMSHIP "TONKIN"

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, Antwer, and Havre ex s.s. Memphie. and from Bordeaux ex s.s. Ville de Cambra, in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium. Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained

immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 5 P.M., To-day, 30th inst., requesting it | THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LD., to be landed here.

Saturday, the 6th prox., at Noon, will be excepted to receive and deliver peristable goods subject to rent and landing charges. All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 6th prox., or they will not be recognised. All damaged packages will be examined on Saturday, the 6th prox., at 3 r.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1802. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, ANT. WERP, LONDON, PORT SAID,

COLOMBO AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship "BINGO MARU" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of general Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godown at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as

the Goods are landed. Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-DAY, 2nd inst. Goods not cleared by the 9th instant will

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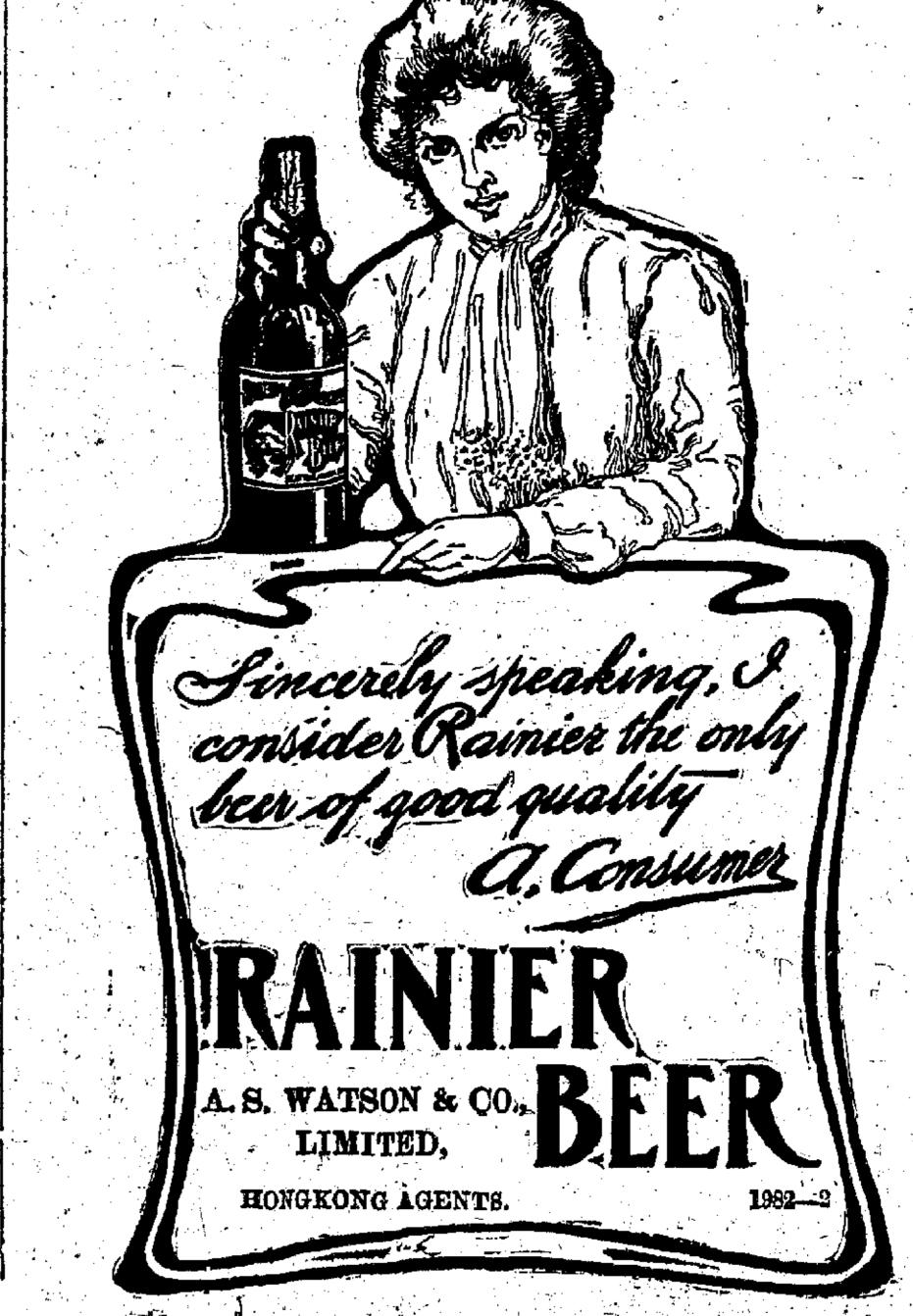
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The Korea, with the American Mail of the 8th uit., left Shanghal on Tuesday, the 2nd inst, at 11 a.m. and may be expected here to-morrow. The falatta, with the English Mail of the 7th ult., left Singapore on Sunday, the 35th ult., at noon, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 6th inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hougking on the 6th October.

MAILS WILL CLOSE.					
FOR	PKB	DATE			
Canton	Honam	Wednesday, 3rd, 7.30 A.M.			
Swatow and Bangkok	Kohsichang	Wednesday, 3rd, 8.00 A.M.			
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Singapore, Penang and Calcutta	Laisung	Thursday, 4th, 11.00 A.M.			
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Bangkok	Lerutan.	Friday, 5th, 9.00 AM.			
Manila		Friday, 5th, 3.00 r.m.			
Thursday Island, Cooktown; Cairns, Towns- (ville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne)	Chanyha	Friday, 5th, 3.00 г.м.			
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THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Vuletta left Singapore for this port on the 30th ml., at moon, and is due here on the 6th inst.; at noon. THE INDIAN HALL.

The steamer Arratoon Appar. from Calcutta, nieux, James A. Kelly. R. Greer, L. Motschleft Singapore for this port on the 28th uit, mann, G. Jones, T. Kumatsu, K. Togo and THE GERMAN MAIL.

The Imperial German mail steamer Konig Allert left Colombo on the 29th ult., p.m., and may be expected here on the 10th inst. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The "Ben" Line steamer Benledi, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore on the Roth, W. L. Cristian, S. Nakamura, H. Hirota, 27th ult., for this port. The C.N. steamer Kweigang, from Tientsin,

left Chefoo for this port on the 2 th ult, and is expected here to-morrow. The N.G.I. steamer Copri left Singapore for this port on the 30th uit, and may be expected.

here on the 6th inst. The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s steamer Lyra zaki and F. Nakamura. left Vadivostock on the 10th ult.

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